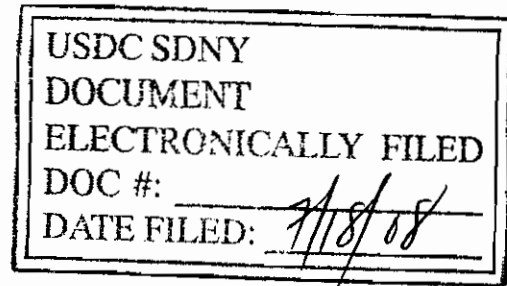


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THE REPUBLIC OF IRAQ,

Plaintiff,

v.

ABB AG, et al.,

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MEMORANDUM

LORETTA A. PRESKA, United States District Judge:

The parties are informed that the law firm in which my husband is a partner,
Cahill Gordon & Reindel LLP, from time to time represents Akzo Nobel N.V. and/or its
affiliates.

SO ORDERED:

Dated: New York, New York
July 18, 2008


LORETTA A. PRESKA, U.S.D.J.